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## RESPONSE TO EX PARTE QUAYLE

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Sir:

In response to the Ex parte Quayle action dated June 1, 2005, please amend the above identified application as follows:

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